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MANAGEMENT CLIENT, CONTROLLER
SERVER, METHOD FOR MANAGING
USAGE CONTEXT OF DEVICE, AND
RECORDING MEDIUM WHICH RECORDS
THE METHOD

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MS Amendment

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Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed December 15, 2004, applicants hereby elect claims 1, 14, 18 and 20, *without traverse*. Applicants reserve the right to file divisional applications directed to the non-elected subject matter.

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